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# S. 1429

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

DECEMBER 21, 1995

Referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight

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## AN ACT

To provide clarification in the reimbursement to States for federally funded employees carrying out Federal programs during the lapse in appropriations between November 14, 1995, through November 19, 1995.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. CLARIFICATION OF REIMBURSEMENT TO**  
2 **STATES FOR FEDERALLY FUNDED EMPLOY-**  
3 **EES.**

4 Section 124 of the joint resolution entitled “A joint  
5 resolution making further continuing appropriations for  
6 the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes”, approved  
7 November 20, 1995 (Public Law 104–56) is amended by  
8 adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

9 “(b)(1) If during the period beginning November 14,  
10 1995, through November 19, 1995, a State used State  
11 funds to continue carrying out a Federal program or fur-  
12 loughed State employees whose compensation is advanced  
13 or reimbursed in whole or in part by the Federal Govern-  
14 ment—

15 “(A) such furloughed employees shall be com-  
16 pensated at their standard rate of compensation for  
17 such period;

18 “(B) the State shall be reimbursed for expenses  
19 that would have been paid by the Federal Govern-  
20 ment during such period had appropriations been  
21 available, including the cost of compensating such  
22 furloughed employees, together with interest thereon  
23 due under section 6503(d) of title 31, United States  
24 Code; and

25 “(C) the State may use funds available to the  
26 State under such Federal program to reimburse

1       such State, together with interest thereon due under  
2       section 6503(d) of title 31, United States Code.

3       “(2) For purposes of this subsection, the term ‘State’  
4 shall have the meaning as such term is defined under the  
5 applicable Federal program under paragraph (1).”.

Passed the Senate December 20, 1995.

Attest: KELLY D. JOHNSTON,  
*Secretary.*